CHITALDURG DISTRICT.

Notification dated 2nd May 1928.

The right to collect fees at the markets as noted in the Schedules A and B during the official year 1928-29 will be sold by public auction at the places and on the dates specified against each market.

2. Persons intending to bid at the sale must attend in person or by a duly accredited agent. Every such person should deposit beforehand an amount equal to one-sixth of the contract amount for the previous year as shown in Schedule A, as earnest money. The deposits of all the bidders except the first two or three, whose bids are to be recommended for acceptance, will be returned at the close of the sale. The doposit of the successful bidder, who will be called the contractor, will be returned only on fulfilment of the contract. The deposits of the remaining bidders will be returned soon after the confirmation of the sale.

3. The sale will not become absolute until confirmed by the authority noted in Schedule A, who reserves the final power of refusing or accepting without assigning any reason whatever, the highest, or any bid that may be offered.

4. The contractor shall, within fifteen days of the receipt of intimation of confirmation of the sale in his favour, execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself and his heirs to observe the conditions hereinafter set forth and to be subject to the penalties, forfeitures and liabilities referred to therein and when he does not hold property in Mysore State, shall furnish at least two sureties who own sufficient properties in the Mysore State for the due performance of the contract.

5. The contract shall not be transferred by sale, gift or otherwise or sub-leased without the previous sanction of the President.

6. The contract amount shall be paid in twelve equal monthly instalments in advance on the first day of every month into the Taluk Office.

7. The contractor shall have no claim to the fees recovered from persons compounding the payment of toll in accordance with the Standing Rules and orders approved by Government and he shall not levy any toll from such persons. He shall also pay along with the instalments, the authorised local, railway and education cesses, if any, at the prescribed rates.

8. Interest at 9 per cent per annum shall be levied on all overdue amounts till date of payment.

9. The amount due from the contractor or his sureties shall be recoverable as if they were arrears of Land Revenue under the provisions of the Land Revenue Regulation and the Rules thereunder.

10. The contractor shall collect fees only at the rates and at the market on the traffic specified in Schedules A and B.

11. The contractor shall give to the person paying the fee a proper receipt showing the date and hour of payment of fee.

12. The contractor shall keep at the market, true accounts of the daily collections and of the traffic passing through the market. These accounts shall be open to the inspection of the Deputy Commissioner, President or Vice-President of the District Board, the Assistant Commissioner, and the Amildar. He shall, if required by the President, District Board, furnish to the Taluk Office at the end of every month, a true return for the month showing the traffic passing through the gate in the prescribed form.

13. The contractor will have the use of the existing toll-house and gate without payment of any rent, and he should keep them in good repair, failing which, the cost of repair will be recovered from the contractor. If any toll-gate or house is required, it will be put up at the cost of the District Board.

14. The contractor shall not be entitled to any remission of the contract amount or to any compensation on account of seasonal conditions or any other cause whatever.

15. The contractor shall conform generally to the rules published in the late Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 274, dated the 4th November 1876. He shall recognize all exemptions made by the statute of rules in force for the time being. He shall pay special attention to the following points:—

(*a*) A table of authorized fees shall be legibly written in English and Kannada and shall be put up in a conspicuous place near the market.

(*b*) No fee shall be levied on foot-passengers.

(*c*) No fee shall be levied for the passage of troops or Military Stores or equipages or of Police Officers, on duty or any person or property in their custody or of any property ***bona fide*** belonging to Government as establishment where proof is required, by the production of a pass or certificate from any officer of the department to which the property belongs, authorised by the Deputy Commissioner or by Government to grant such certificates or passes, which pass on certificate shall be delivered up at the last toll-gate passed before the cart carriage or animal conveying such property, reaches the destination noted in, such pass or certificate.

(*d*) No fee shall be levied for the passage of carriages, carts animals, etc.—

(1 Belonging to District Board.

(2) Conveying District Board Servants on duty or property in the custody of such servants.

(3) Licensed by the District Board.

(4) Possessed by a person who has compounded with the District Board, for a prescribed sum in accordance with the rules approved by Government.

(5) Engaged by the Postal Department to convey Mails.

(6) Belonging to the Hon'ble the British Resident in Mysore.

(7) Belonging to Government Servants travelling on duty who are certified by their respective immediate superiors as being not entitled to travelling allowance.

(8) Belonging to His Highness the Maharaja or His Highness the Yuvaraja.

16. Any breach of the above conditions or rules on the part of the contractor or his servants will entail the forfeiture of the deposit or the levy of a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 for each infringement. If the fine be not paid or in the event of instalments or other sums due being not paid within the prescribed date, it shall be competent to the President, District Board, to suspend further collection of tolls by the contractor and dispose of the right to collect toll during the remaining period by a resale or otherwise. The resale will be held at the risk of the defaulting contractor who shall be liable to make good all losses accruing but shall not be entitled to any profits arising from the resale.

17. The imposition of fine or resale of the contract shall be no bar to the prosecution of the contractor or his employees for any offence or to the institution of other legal steps against them under any law in force for the time being.

SCHEDULE A.

SANTHE CHIKKONDANHALLI, CHITALDRUG TALUK.

1	Name of the santhe	Chikkondanhalli santhe.
2	Situation of the gate	Chikkondanhalli.
3	Whether fee is to be levied on through traffic, or in-coming traffic	At the santhe.
4	Traffic specially exempted from payment of fee on account of the peculiar situation of the toll-gate or the special requirements to the people near the gate.	Nil.
5	Amount of deposit required	Rupees 27, one-sixth of the contract amount for 1927-28.
6	Place of sale.	Chikkondanhalli Chavadi.
7	Date of Sale.	14th June 1928.
8	Officer conducting the sale.	President, District Board, Chitaldrug, or any other officer deputed by him.
9	Officer confirming the sale.	President, District Board, Chitaldrug.
10	Remarks.	Nil.

SCHEDULE B.

Items.	*Rate of fee.* Rs. a. p.
1. On every laden cart	0 1 0
2. Laden animal, ox, ass or horse	0 0 6
3. Head load	0 0 3

SCHEDULE A.

SANTHE BHARAMASAGAR, CHITALDRUG TALUK.

1	Name of the santhe	Bharmasagara santhe.
2	Situation of the gate	Bharmasagara.
3	Whether fee is to be levied on through traffic or in-coming traffic.	At the santhe.
4	Traffic specially exempted from fee on account of the peculiar situation of the toll-gate or the special requirements to the people near the toll-gate.	Nil.
5	Amount of deposit required	Rupees 57 one-sixth of the contract amount for 1927-28.
6	Place of sale	Bharamasagara Chavadi.
7	Date of sale	12th June 1928.
8	Officer conducting the sale	President, District Board, Chitaldrug, or any other officer deputed by him.
9	Officer confirming the sale	President, District Board, Chitaldrug.
10	Remarks	Nil.

SCHEDULE B.

Items.	*Rate of fee.* Rs. a. p.
(1) On every laden cart	... 0 1 0
(2) On every laden animal, ox, ass or horse ...	... 0 0 6
(3) Head load	... 0 0 3

SCHEDULE A.

SANTHE IMANGALA, HIRIYUR TALUK.

1.	Name of the santhe ...	Imangala santhe.
2.	Situation of the gate ...	Imangala
3.	Whether fee is to be levied on through-traffic or in-coming traffic.	At the santhe
4.	Traffic specially exempted from payment of fee on account of the peculiar situation of the toll-gates or the special requirements to the people near the toll-gate.	Nil.
5.	Amount of deposit required ...	Rupees 106 one-sixth of the contract amount for 1927-28.
6.	Place of sale	Imangala Chavadi.
7.	Date of sale	12th June 1928
8.	Officer conducting the sale ...	President, District Board, Chitaldrug or any other officer deputed by him.
9.	Officer confirming the sale ...	President, District Board, Chitaldrug.
10.	Remarks	Nil.

SCHEDULE B.

Items.	*Rate of fee.* Rs. a. p.
(1) On every landen cart drawn by two bullocks ...	... 0 2 0
(2) On every laden cart drawn by a single bullock ...	... 0 1 0
(3) Laden animal, ox, ass or horse ...	... 0 0 6
(4) Head load	... 0 0 3

SCHEDULE A.

SANTHE DUMMI, HOLALKERE TALUK.

1.	Name of the santhe ...	Dummi santhe
2.	Situation of the gate ...	Dummi
3.	Whether fee is to be levied on through traffic or in-coming traffic.	At the santhe
4.	Traffic specially exempted from payment of fee on account of peculiar situation of the toll-gate or the special requirements to the people near the toll-gate.	Nil
5.	Amount of deposit required ...	Rs. 144 one-sixth of the contract amount for 1927-28.
6.	Place of sale	Dummi Chavadi
7.	Date of sale	14th June 1928
8.	Officer conducting the sale ...	President, District Board, Chitaldrug, or any other officer deputed by him.
9.	Officer confirming the sale ...	President, District Board, Chitaldrug.
10.	Remarks	Nil

SCHEDULE B.

Items.	*Rate of fee.* Rs. a. p.
(1) On every laden cart drawn by two bullocks ...	... 0 2 0
(2) On every laden cart drawn by a single bullock ...	... 0 1 0
(3) Laden animal, ox, ass or horse ...	... 0 0 6
(4) Head load	... 0 0 3
(5) On every cart drawn by two bullocks, if not laden ...	0 1 0
(6) On every cart drawn by a single bullock, if not laden ...	0 0 6

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